

The announcement of the Irish Free State that all republicans who lay down their arms will be granted amnesty, reminds us that some one should be running for office

Unsettled tonight and Saturday, probably rain or snow. Cold in west portion.

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122 ENTOMBED IN NEW MEXICO MINE

Waco Officers Gather Forces to Beat Off Mob

WALTON TELLS OF STRUGGLE FARMER FIGHTS IN TAXES

Executive Points Out Causes for Burden of Taxation on Tiller's Hands.

PLAYS CORPORATIONS

Claims Farmers Pay For Watered Stocks of Corporations.

WORLD CONFERENCE TO HALT INCREASE IN NARCOTICS' USE



Stephen G. Porter.

(By the Associated Press) OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 9.—The state having passed all bills but one for final action yesterday was ready with a clean calendar today to join the house in receiving Gov. Walton's special message outlining his tax reform program designed to "protect farmers and laborers from secondary levies by trusts and corporations."

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 9.—A taxation program designed to protect farmers and wage earners from a secondary levy which he said was imposed by "trusts" and corporation was outlined by Gov. J. C. Walton in a special message to the state legislature today. The message covered the subjects of taxation and education.

In order to effect the protection he proposed, the governor recommended the following tax exemptions:

The homestead of the farmers up to 160 acres.

An exemption of \$3,500 for the occupant or owner of a farm who derives more than twenty-five per cent of his income from other sources than farming.

An exemption of \$1,000 on personal property of all "actual bona fide soil tillers."

All homesteads of "laborers" in cities, towns and villages.

An exemption of \$1,000 on personal property of all wage workers by hand or brain."

He also recommended the following rates of taxation be levied upon the gross receipts of public service corporations:

Steam railways, ten percent; street railways, eight percent; railroad car companies, ten percent; railway express companies, five percent; telegraph and telephone companies, ten percent; insurance companies, on gross premiums, except cooperatives, five percent; capital stock of all banks, three percent.

Live Under Two Governments

One is a political government;

the other is an industrial government.

"We live under two governments, one is a political government and the other is an industrial government.

There are two kinds of taxes, one which we will call political taxes, which paid to the political government, and one which we will call industrial taxes, which is paid to the industrial government."

The executive then declared that those who pay industrial taxes should be exempt from political taxes. He said that political taxes, as he defined them, should be paid by those who collect the industrial taxes, otherwise a double burden of taxation rests upon those who pay both.

The executive, in his recommendations on education, followed largely the report on the Oklahoma school system made by a special commission working under the direction of the U. S. Bureau of Education, completed in December. He notes that methods of taxation for school purposes are, in the report made one of its most important phases, and he accordingly submits a series of proposals for raising school funds.

One of the school tax proposals is that the one-third of the gross production tax now returned to counties in which it originates be retained by the state, as is now the other two-thirds. He suggested an appropriation of \$200,000 for the construction of buildings at the state university and at the agricultural and mechanical college, "for the purpose of accommodating students of the farming and working classes who are now practically barred from the institutions by the high cost of living."

Favors Compulsory Education

Among other recommendations made in the education program outlined was one that every child of school age in the state be required

to attend.

SEVERAL CRIMES PLACED AT DOOR OF ROY MITCHELL

Written Confession Clears Up Wave of Murders for Past Year.

3 WOMEN ASSAULTED

Eight Fall Victims to Fiend During Past Year; Two Women Killed.

(By the Associated Press)

WACO, Texas, Feb. 9.—Local police and a company of the Waco national guard were being mobilized this afternoon to defend the county jail in the event an attempt is made to take Roy Mitchell, negro, alleged to have confessed to eight murders. Rumors of the formation of a mob reached the officers and they at once began taking precautions to prevent violence.

WACO, Tex., Feb. 9.—A series of mysterious crimes which long baffled the officers, were revealed today by the confession of Roy Mitchell, a negro, who confessed to eight murders, three assaults with intent to murder and several attacks on women between February, 1922, and January, 1923, according to Sheriff Leslie Stegall and County Attorney C. S. Farmer. Three women were assaulted when their escorts were killed, two of them subjected to two assaults, according to the alleged confession. One negro was also assaulted by Mitchell, the confession says, according to the officers.

The confession was made to the sheriff and county attorney last night, put in writing and signed by Mitchell.

The crimes he is said to have confessed to having committed are as follows:

The murder of W. H. Barker and wife Homer Turk at Concord, February 12, 1922.

W. H. Driskill, May 7, 1922.

Harrel Bolton, May 25, 1922.

Grady Skipworth, November 20, 1922.

W. E. Holt and Mrs. Edith Den-camp, January 19, 1923.

Two negroes were tried and convicted for the slaying of Mr. and Mrs. Barker and the Turk boy, the killing of whom Mitchell now admits. One of these, Cooper Johnson, was given the death penalty, and the other Henry Young, was sentenced to life imprisonment. Both cases are now on appeal.

In addition to this one negro has been killed for a crime to which Mitchell is said to have confessed. When Harrel Bolton was killed and his girl companion assaulted a negro identified by the girl was shot to death by her father and his body burned by a mob.

EXPLOSIVE EXPERT KILLED BY MAGAZINE DISCHARGE

(By the Associated Press)

TULSA, Feb. 9.—E. L. Schomeyer, nitro glycerine expert employed by the Illinois Torpedo Co., was killed today by an explosion at the company's magazine on Turkey Mountain, near Tenaha.

Schomeyer is said to have been the only man near the magazine at the time. He was loading a truck with nitro-glycerine. His wife and family live here.

FRENCH AND BELGIANS EXPLOIT GERMAN RESOURCES

(By the Associated Press)

BRUSSELS, Feb. 9.—Plans for the exploitation of German resources in the occupied regions by France and Belgium are under way. Coal is already arriving by rail and water, in spite of the strike.

The plans include the working of state owned forests and British and American interests will be invited to contract for the lumber obtained by all parties concerned.

Correction

In your issue of Monday's daily, and also in your weekly, where you attempt to give a synopsis of the testimony of the witnesses, you have my testimony entirely wrong. According to your statement you make me say that "although District Judge Bolen was in the inquiry room during the time he did not direct the inquiry. This was not my testimony. My testimony was that Judge Bolen directed the inquiry; that Grover Gaar was present but only asked me a few questions directing my attention to certain alleged transactions. I feel that your publication has unintentionally given a statement to the public that is incorrect, and would be glad if you would publish this in justice to all parties concerned."

Yours very truly,

WALTER N. WRAY.

Marriage License

Chester H. Smith, 28, Yukon, Mildred Allard, 27, Yukon.

H. W. Chrontister, 21, Stonewall, Eva Reed, 16, Stonewall.

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NOTICE TO MASONs.

The funeral of Bro. T. F. Wilson, Master of Stratford Lodge, will be held at Stratford at 2 o'clock Saturday, Feb. 10. You are urged to attend.

The 1922 Norwegian mackerel run was extremely light.

Charlie Builds New Love Nest For Reception of His Betrothed



With the engagement of Charlie Chaplin, film comedian, and Pola Negri, European screen beauty, officially announced, followers of the cinema stars are wondering when the wedding will be and whether it will be just a quiet one or one that will prove the most brilliant in the history of film romances. The wedding is expected to occur early in the spring. The cozy home which Chaplin recently had built in Los Angeles is expected to be their home.



The home Chaplin has completed in Los Angeles and latest photo of Charlie and Pola Negri, taken since their engagement was announced.

CLUE SOUGHT IN HOLLOWAY PROBE

Believed Bandit Murdered by Member of Own Band as Double-Crosser.

(By the Associated Press)

TULSA, Feb. 9.—Delving into the history of Holloway, notorious gunman and bandit, Tulsa officers hope to find a clew that will lead to the apprehension of his supposed murderers. They are working on the theory that he paid the penalty of the underworld for double crossing.

Securely bound and gagged his body was dumped into a shallow grave on a hill near Red Fork. The body was found two days ago. Two bullets had been fired into the top of his head. Officers working on the case declared they believe Holloway was killed by his former associates because they believed he had double crossed them or intended to turn them in to secure immunity for himself.

Several persons, who knew Holloway will be questioned during the day by County Attorney Goldberry. Officers hope that some of Holloway's friends will be able to throw some light on the affair. His widow and two children will reach here today.

Government Tires of Paying Rentals on Costly Scale

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The question of providing suitable quarters for housing government employees in 19 cities where the annual rentals now total \$2,500,000 were submitted to Speaker Gillette of the treasury and Postmaster General. In the 19 cities more than \$50,000,000 would be required for buildings in which to care for the internal revenue offices, courts and postoffices. This is recommended besides the proposed additions to quarters in 140 other cities which call for \$15,000,000.

Mr. Coon has sold his jewelry and watch business to Duncan Brothers and will retire from that line of endeavor. He will retain and enlarge his optical business, however, adding a graduate optometrist, Mrs. Brahegar, to his force. He has not decided just where he will have his office, and will remain at the same place for the time being.

Mr. Coon has been in business in Ada since it was a small town. He says his main motive in selling the jewelry and watch repair business was to permit him to give all of his time and effort to the optical work, a thing he has wanted to do for a long time.

LAST NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

You have one day in which to pay your water bill. If not paid tomorrow, your water will be discontinued. J. C. Deaver, Commissioner of Accounting and Finance.

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AMNESTY URGED BY IRISH REBS

Believed Reconciliation May Be Effected Between Irish Facions.

(By the Associated Press)

DUBLIN, Feb. 9.—Hopes for a reconciliation between the Irish Free State and at least a large part of the republicans were felt to be bright today, according to Richard Mulcahy, minister of defense who declared: "An amnesty will be offered to all now in arms against the government who will surrender their arms by February 18."

The minister's proclamation was the result of an appeal by one of the leaders of the republicans to his party to lay down their arms as he himself had done. He was permitted to communicate with De Valera and other leaders asking them to accept the terms offered. Just what their responses will be is a matter of speculation.

DUBLIN, Feb. 9.—The proposal for a surrender of their arms by the republican made in a letter from one of the leaders, now a prisoner, cannot be considered, said an official communiqué issued from republican headquarters this afternoon.

Teachers of State Settle Down After Convention Opens

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 9.—The seventeenth annual convention of the Oklahoma Education association got down to business today and separated into several large conferences preparatory to the general session which is to be held early this evening. Foremost among the sectional meetings today was the conference of city superintendents.

Dr. E. E. Lewis, superintendent of the schools of Rockford, Illinois, a member of the committee which made a survey of Oklahoma's educational system, was to lead the round table discussion on the subject: "Oklahoma's Educational Survey."

It is known that eleven fire bosses were employed whose duty it was to inspect the mine and detect any indication of a possible fire or the accumulation of gasses.

Between 6,000 and 7,000 persons reside in the town supported primarily by the mines. The company has gone to great expense in looking after the comfort and well-being of its employees.

Miners Lost in Canada.

(By the Associated Press)

CUMBERLAND, B. C., Feb. 9.—Fifty-one coal miners lost their lives in an explosion in a mine two miles from here last night, it was estimated by mine officials when 21 bodies had been brought to the surface today.

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LET'S GET BUSY

The more we read about the development of the South industrially last year, the more nervous we get. Why? Because we are not getting as many industries here as our resources would seem to merit. We are not blaming any one. Our failure was due to our magnifying our own troubles. We are saying this for the simple reason that before reformation can take place, need for it must be realized. Now, come on, let us confess our state of mind kept us from doing things.

We heard a business man the other day say that his business had fallen off and that he was going to double the amount of money for advertising in order to get his business back to normal and then go still farther. One military general once expressed the same idea when he said, "when you are defeated charge."

Now Ada, we all know, needs more industries. We certainly cannot get them as long as we sit around and wish for them. We must get a little pep into ourselves, add that to the pep the directors of the Chamber of Commerce already have, and get off to a running start.

Were we to enumerate all the things that came to the South last year, it would take several newspapers the size of this. Little towns in the Southeast doubled in population. Larger cities gained population by the thousands and thus the entire communities were helped. Below are just a few statements which indicate the rapidity of development:

The dominant factor in the year's developments relate to the textile expansion, which, thanks to the determined efforts of local capitalists in Oklahoma and Texas, is now becoming southwide in scope.

Over ten million dollars in new construction and installation was reported in textile lines during the last six months of the year. Plans were also announced during that period, and in many instances contracts were let for new construction to be begun after the first of January, 1923, for over \$30,000,000 additional investments in cotton plants.

The report goes ahead and enumerates many of the giant projects. New England is moving south industrially speaking. Oklahoma is to have another large mill at Sand Springs, but Oklahoma can easily handle several plants and one certainly ought to be located at Ada. The main factors are cheap labor, power, and a suitable climate. Ada can offer all of these, or at least can offer all unless it be the labor and this will come if the mill were in the market for people to work.

Steel mills, water power plants, cement mills, cotton mills, carbon plants, oil refineries, and many other kinds of factories have been erected and others will be erected this year.

We are going along fairly well and we are making some progress. But industries are coming south as never before and this movement may not keep up long. We should take steps to get into communication with some of these plants and bring them to Ada. It might be well to send a man or two men into some of the industrial centers and get the inside facts.

The point is, let's get busy. Let's get behind the Chamber of Commerce as we have never done before, and let's build a city here while the building is good.

A GOVERNOR'S FRIENDS

Was it not Lincoln who called upon God to protect him from his friends? What he meant, of course, was that those who had favored him would ask him for favors in return and to grant such favors would be against the best interest of the American people.

It is regretted that we do not have more public servants who thus keep watch on their friends. We presume there is no one who does not deplore the miserable record for pardons and paroles of ex-Governor Robertson. The state as a whole realizes that scores of thugs and cutthroats who ought to be in the penitentiary are now running loose simply because Robertson did not have the nerve to tell his supposed friends where to get off.

The ingrate is one of the most despicable of men. Dante in his "Inferno" put the two great ingrates of history, Judas Iscariot and Brutus, in the lowest pit of hell, and the world probably agrees with him that the worst torment is not too great for him who would turn upon his best friend.

But when a man is elected to public office, he is elected by the votes of the people. His duty is to them. If he can reward a personal friend without injury to the state, he should do that very thing, but if he must injure the state to reward a friend then friendship must sink and the state must come first. This one trait made Woodrow Wilson some times appear ungrateful. But history is beginning to show that Wilson kept ever before his mind the welfare of the United States and the American people and he would not let his personal likes or dislikes interfere with his appointive power. By some he was considered ungrateful, but how much better to be considered ungrateful to an individual and true to a state than true to an individual and false to a state.

Let us hope that Governor Walton will avoid the pitfalls made by his friends.

Let a NEWS WANT AD get it for you.

"WHICH SHALL IT BE"

The Forum
of the Press

A Man Without A Conscience

At this moment events in the Rhine country have made a little Bavarian village an unsafe sanctuary for Grover Bergdollar, whose ill-famed name, as long as it endures, will be a synonym for disloyalty. The American Legion Weekly, speaking of the notorious slacker says: "Perhaps Bergdollar forswore a war crisis, for it is believed that he is no longer in Germany. At last his boastful presence is not reported within her borders—and wherever Mr. Bergdollar is his voice

will be heard from time to time. The man who sent taunting letters to government officials while he was being hunted as a slacker during the war and who spent his time on the Rhine boasting to disgusted correspondents—will find obscurity impossible. Skunk cabbage cannot transform itself into a violet.

"Mr. Bergdollar's strange silence has given rise to the suspicion that he is in transit. He is therefore being paged in all parts of the world, and government agents are peering beneath the whiskers of stock sailors manning foreign vessels touching at ports both on the Atlantic and Pacific coast.

"No matter where Bergdollar is, he is literally a man without a country. It is impossible to review his ignominious role without recalling the central figure of the great classical tale of American patriotism written by Edward Everett Hale. Philip Nolan, "the man without a country," remains a pathetic and tragic figure. Confined for half a century aboard an American warship and sentenced never to hear spoken the name of the country he had renounced in a moment of madness, Philip Nolan had redeeming qualities.

"But Bergdollar, as a man without a country, has a record of unrelied infamy. Philip Nolan was impetuously foolish. Grover Bergdollar is guilty of carefully planned desertion of this country when she needed him. The country will remember Philip Nolan as a man whose soul was redeemed by love of his country before he died. Grover Bergdollar is in danger of going down to posterity as the most conspicuous American traitor since Benedict Arnold—and a far more despicable one.

"In these days of habeas corpus it would be impossible to keep an American an involuntary prisoner long aboard a battleship, but why could not a better punishment be adapted to meet Bergdollar's case? It would be fine, for instance, if we could only keep him in continuous exile and deport him if we caught him sliding back home."

Traveling Libraries
(El Reno American)

"To provide equal educational advantages for all its citizens a problem that confronts each commonwealth. Every individual in the state needs books. All normal people have the ability and desire to read. In the cities public libraries satisfy this desire, but what of the rural citizen? This problem in Oklahoma is particularly acute because of her extreme youth. Whole counties of the state are without any kind of library service and books are difficult to obtain in all rural communities. Rural people, therefore, are upon an unequal basis with city people in opportunities for self-education by reading.

This is the situation in Oklahoma summarized by Mrs. John R. Dale, secretary of the state library commission, in her annual report just issued.

In this report Mrs. Dale makes

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make strength. There are thousands of easily-absorbed, health-building globules of vitamin-bearing cod-liver oil in every bottle of

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Children or grown people, rundown in body or vitality, should find Scott's Emulsion a strength-restoring food-tonic of great value. It is taken easily and assimilated readily.

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What Are Riches?

See Wesley Barry
IN
"FROM RAGS TO RICHES"
McSWAIN MONDAY

in

"FROM RAGS

TO RICHES"

McSWAIN MONDAY

Christian Workers
in China Make Small
Gifts to Prisoners

(By the Associated Press)

CANTON.—South of Canton, a century-old fortress-houses an industrial prison. It stands opposite "Mao Feng," past which Sun Yat-sen's ships fought their way last July. The bank or the river on the prison side had been a well-kept garden, but that day trenching troops destroyed it and it has never been restored.

Students from Canton Christian College visited there this Christmas with a message of good-will, and a small but much appreciated gift for each prisoner. Owing to the thicknesses of the doors and gates, and the antiquity of the protective apparatus (including the guards), each man and boy is shackled with a chain connecting his ankles, except for the trustees—who wear on one leg two anklets and no chain.

An extraordinary touch was lent to the Christmas service the students conducted, by the starting crosses outlined in hair on each prisoner's head, a sort of branding accomplished with clippers. The prisoners fought for their little individual packages of two towels, two tangerines, oranges and a few peanuts. Then they passed back to their 8x12 rooms, four to a room.

The prison is rickety and dark but in no respect filthy. The men seemed fairly well clothed and fed. Teaching of printing, shoe-making, and weaving has been carried on there with considerable success.

About 150,000 motor trucks are in use on American farms.

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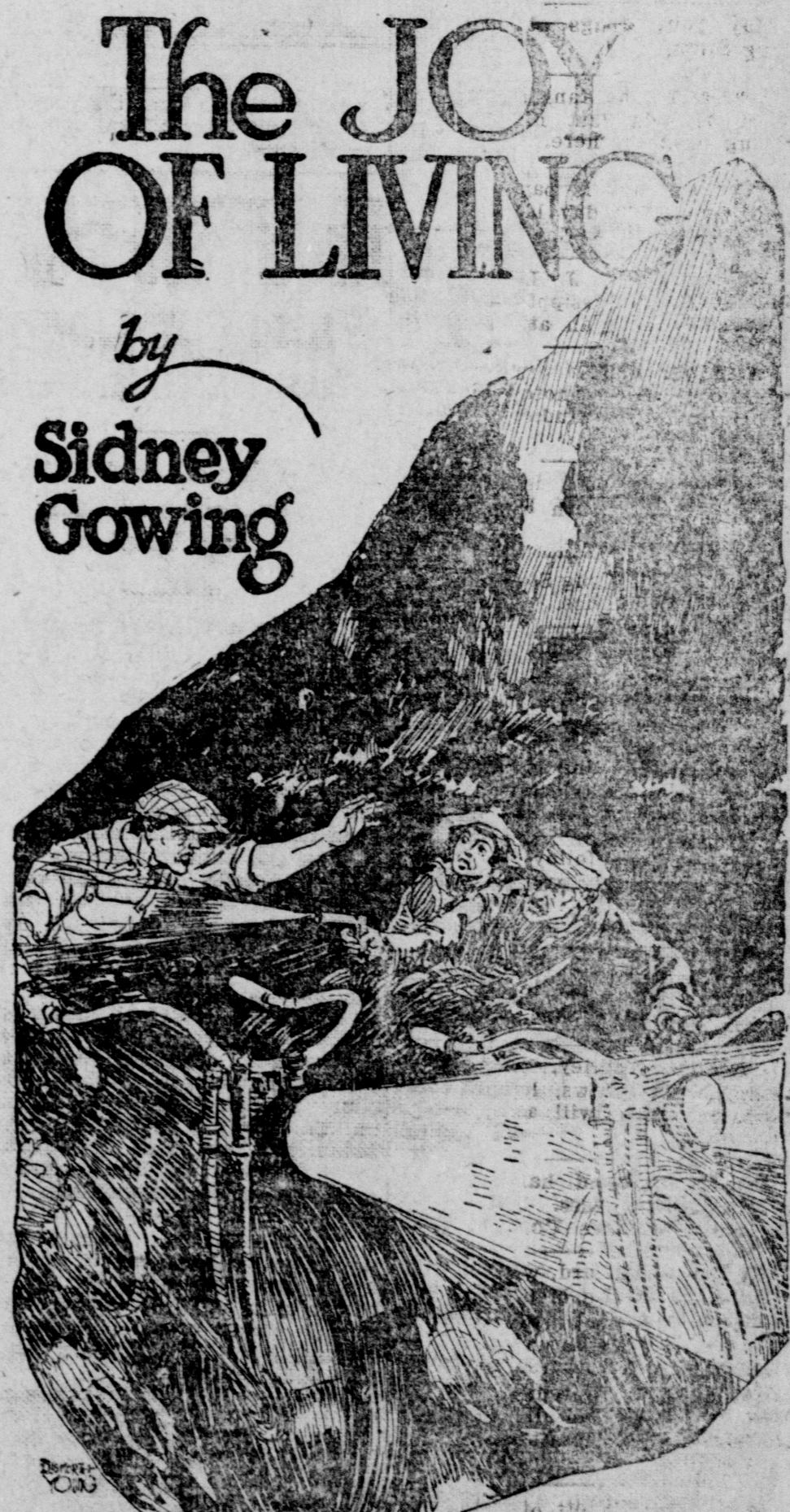
Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea, with sulphur and alcohol added, will turn gray-streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use preparation improved by the addition of other ingredients, a large bottle, at little cost, at drug stores, known as "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," thus avoiding a lot of mussing.

While gray, faded hair is not sinless, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared. After another application of your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant and you appear years younger.

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Thrills, Action and
The Sweetest Romance!IN
"RAGS TO RICHES"
with Wesley Barry and Ruth Renick

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Here Is a Delightful Comedy in the Form of a Serial Story Which We Feel Is a Real Kindness to Offer to Readers

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Not a crime story at all, but the story of two jolly chaps who were suspected of a crime. There are motorcycle chases over a charming countryside; circumstances which cause climbing of trellises and the invading of ancient castles in the dead of the night; hiding in caves; subterfuges of all sorts, and through it all is the rollicking spirit of youth just what it title implies—the joy of living. You will love sweet, audacious, nervy little Aimee, and you will have less regard for dashing Billy, and even the Flying Spur, the wonderful motorcycle which figured in their adventure, will get into your affections like a thing of life.

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City Briefs

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Have your photo made at West's
Thompson's Drug Store can handle
your drug wants. 1-7-1fMrs. Cleveland Hall hemstitches,
807 East 12th. Phone 909-J. 2-6-1fRussell Battery Co. Willard Service
and sales. Phone 140. 8-6-1fDeputy Sheriff W. B. Walker and
four children are down with the flu.Your gas bill is payable by the
10th, one more day left to pay.
MacThwaite Oil & Gas Co. 2-8-2tMrs. W. W. Walker is reported
quiet with the flu.Thor Washing Machines, electric
wiring and repairing. Gay Electric
Co. Phone 630. 2-9-1fCol. John G. James was up from
Roff on business matters this afternoon.EAT MORE APPLES: an apple
a day will keep the doctor away.
Ada Seed Co. Phone 300. 2-8-2tCecil Deal returned from Shawnee
Thursday night suffering from a
well developed case of flu.Motor Sales Co.—Parts and accessories
for all cars. 8-4-1mNice, fat frying chickens for sale.
Mrs. Norrell. Phone 998 or 307.
2-8-4tMrs. S. Greenburg is suffering from
injuries sustained when she fell from her steps yesterday.

See our ad page 115 Saturday Evening Post—Ada Service and Filling Station. 2-9-2t

Mrs. Jones, mother of Somer
Jones, who was reported ill, is resting well.Bring your prescriptions to
Thompson's Drug Store. 1-7-1fBuy your drugs at Thompson's
Drug Store. 1-7-1f

Several boxing fans of Allen motored to Ada last night for the boxing program here.

Your gas bill is payable by the
10th, one more day left to pay.
MacThwaite Oil & Gas Co. 2-8-2tMr. and Mrs. J. L. Wilimoth,
501 South Mississippi, are ill at
their home with an attack of flu.With our new Hollywood lights
we make pretty photographs from
all faces. Stalls Studio. Phone 34.
1-2-1mN. P. Myers, Jr., is confined at
his home, 715 South Rennie, by an
attack of flu.Wozencraft's Drug Store, the home
of personal service. 11-14-1fW. E. Brinlee reports the arrival
at his home of an eight pound
boy a few days ago.Special for one week, regular
\$5.00 salad dressing mixed and egg
beater \$1.00. Gay electric Co. Phone
630. 2-9-2tMrs. M. B. Molloy and little
daughter, Peggy, are reported ill
with the flu.Your gas bill is payable by the
10th, one more day left to pay.
MacThwaite Oil & Gas Co. 2-8-2tLawrence Mooney, former employee
of the News, left today for Enid, where he will accept a position there.We buy second hand furniture,
paying best prices. Phone 438.
Shelton Furniture Co. 11-9-1fMrs. C. C. Ballard, who was formerly
leader of the Methodist church
choir, will sing at both services at
the Methodist church Sunday.Soda service supreme—Light lunches,
hot and cold drinks, candies and
cigars. Wozencraft's Drug Store.
11-14-1fMiss Merle Elliott of Wynnewood
is visiting Miss Francis Case, East
Broadway. They went to Muskogee
this afternoon to spend the weekend.Your batteries full charged at a
standard price—Gale Battery Service.
Phone 1004. 10th and Broadway,
2-9-1fYour gas bill is payable by the
10th, one more day left to pay.
MacThwaite Oil & Gas Co. 2-8-2tMiss Violet Moore, who has been
teaching at Deprey during the past
few months, returned here last
night to be the guest of her parents
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore, 114 E
Thirtieth.Best prices paid for your second
hand furniture—Shelton Furniture
Co. Phone 438. 11-2-1fMcCarty Bros. can fix that old
tire or tube. Phone 855. New location
116-18 S. Townsend. 7-7-1fA card from D. C. Abney announces
that he had just crossed the river to Reynosa, Mexico, with
the Texas legislature and the governor.
He says there are many saloons and much gambling in that city.Your gas bill is payable by the
10th, one more day left to pay.
MacThwaite Oil & Gas Co. 2-8-2t**Canton Crepe Best In
Dull Green Undeemed****Farmers' Column**

By Mary Brooks Picken

Waste and the Community.
J. E. McAfee, Community Counselor,
University of Oklahoma.All waste in the community affar.
Filling the swill bucket at the back door of the home with food which the family might well eat, carrying excessive overhead expense in selling or delivering goods from the stores, frittering away time in making or handling needless commodities, perpetuating old and round-about methods in any public or private business, dwaddling at ones' job—all of these are forms of waste in which the individual is not alone concerned; the whole community suffers from the loss.

Every item of waste detracts from the Commonwealth and the Commonwealth is the common wealth.

Liberty is precious. Society will preserve it at all cost for every individual citizen. But the sanctions of liberty do not protect any citizen while he expends time and vital energies in pounding sand in a rat hole. That is not even good fun. It makes a difference to everybody what we do, how we do it and what we make even of our personal possessions.

No man is free deliberately to injure his neighbors; waste of any kind is an injury to all.

The good citizens will not be a slave to any overlord—not even to his own passions and indolence and carelessness. He will keep the trust of citizenship. Not being a slave himself he will not enslave others. He will not impoverish his community by a reckless and improvident use of what is committed to him for the service of all.

What do you think of this? Is it not sound doctrine?

What wastes are going on in our community which common sense and due regard to our common interests require shall be checked and abolished? Why not be brave, face any and all of them, speak our mind about them, and go to work in courage and with might and main to do away with them?

Combination Crop Pays.

That corn and cowpeas planted in alternate rows and hogged down is an economical method of handling is the observation of L. L. Creveling, Pawnee county farmer, according to G. C. Gibbons, agronomist with the extension division of Oklahoma A. and M. College.

Creveling, Gibbons says, planted this crop as a demonstration of what corn and cowpeas might produce when grown in combination for a hogged-down crop. In this field were five and one-half acres of corn and cowpeas in alternate rows and six acres lying alongside this plot which were planted to cowpeas alone.

The New Era cowpeas were planted about the middle of May after the corn had been cultivated once. A poor stand was secured and some were replanted early in June. The six acres of cowpeas were planted the latter part of June. On August 1 Creveling turned 35 growing hogs and 6 calves into this crop. At this time the hogs averaged 80 pounds in weight.

These hogs were taken off October 1 and sold on the market. The market that day was \$7.60 per hundredweight. The hogs made an average gain of 138 pounds each and figuring on this basis Creveling realized \$227.08 from his crop of corn and cowpeas.

At the time the hogs were taken off they had barely finished up the five and one-half acres and were just beginning to go into the field which was planted entirely to cowpeas. Creveling then harvested the cowpeas and stored 8 tons of cowpea hay. In addition to this return the field is still furnishing pasture for a dozen hogs and a number of calves, all of which are in a thriving condition.

Deceased was one of the early settlers at Ada and for many years was a contractor and builder. He was a man highly respected by the entire community.

Limbnecks Among Fowls.

Limbnecks are recognized by the fact that the fowl seems to lose control of its neck muscles, thereby allowing the head to hang down and touch the ground. The fowl seems powerless to raise the head or have any control of it.

The trouble, according to Harry Embleton, professor of poultry husbandry at Oklahoma A. and M. College, is brought about by the eating of some decayed animal matter. "The best means, therefore, of preventing further trouble is to look the premises over for a carcass of some kind," Embleton says. "In some cases we have found it to be rabbits, in others, snakes or carcasses of fowls. Castor oil given by means of a small funnel and rubber tube inserted in the food passage, seems to help somewhat in restoring the affected birds to health."

Household Receipts.

Broiled Ham—Always use boiled ham for broiling. Slice in medium thick slices, according to the number to be served; trim off the rough edges. Lay the slices of ham upon it and brown well. Serve with buttered toast.

Ham Croquettes—Two cups finely chopped ham, two eggs mashed potatoes, yolks of two eggs, two tablespoonsfuls cream, two tablespoonsfuls butter, dash of cayenne.

Add the ham to the mashed potatoes, then add the cream, butter and egg yolks beaten together until smooth; add cayenne and mould the ham into small cylinder shapes about three inches long. Roll in beaten egg, then in bread crumbs, and fry in boiling fat.

Baked Beans with Pork—1 pound of Pork, 1 quart of beans, 1-2 cupsful of sugar and 2 tablespoonsfuls of molasses. Boil the pork in 2 quarts of water. Boil the beans in

**Chiffon With Taffeta
Used in Latest Styles****MAIN STREET**—BY—
V. L. H.It's Stuff—It's Stuff
Tis easy enough to be pleasant
While burning the boulevard
But to smile all the while
While plodding a mile,
While others are riding—that's hard.Mystery runneth deep in the
whispers concerning the origin and
method of installation used to bring
the bright red silk to Ed Hunter's
deft trouser bottom cut-away.Less Prince maintains that Dr.
Cone's bank account should be gettin'
fatter and fatter.One of our friends, who has new
neighbors next door, says they are
very sociable. "Why the first day
they were in, they sent over to bor-
row our radio set."One way to avoid the heavy gas
bill is to cloud up and burn with
rage over the last month's bill.
That should cut down the gas bill.A local telephone operator breaks
the world record trilling contest,
it taking her two and one half
minutes to say "three."Mr. Cluck, the drug store man,
says that when a woman has com-
plexion, she makes up for it.After reading where a still ex-
ploded and killed two men, he decided
that the still could kill externally as well.According to underwear advertise-
ments, only slim young women un-
dresses in public.It is claimed that married people
live longer than single people,
but we rise to remark that it only
seems longer.Joe the Plodder says there is a
difference between being as fit as
a fiddler and being as tight as a
drum.Friend—"Is her leg broke?"
Doctor—"Naw, we found \$1.49."DAMAGE SUIT ENTERED
AGAINST "HOUSE OF DAVID"

(By the Associated Press)

PAWPAW, Mich., Feb. 9.—Any-
thing done by Benjamin Purnell,
head of the "House of David," is
regarded as right by the members
of the cult, is alleged by Miss Ruth
Reed and Mrs. Gladys Hibbel in a
damage suit against Purnell for
\$800,000, in which the women seek
to recover property alleged to have
been turned over to the House of
David by their parents. They make
many charges of immorality against
the cult.2 quarts of soft water, and as the
beans swell add more water. When
the beans begin to come to pieces,
put the meat, with the water in
which it was boiled, in the kettle
with the beans, and let boil till
done; then place in a dripping-pan
with meat on top of the beans. Add
the sugar and molasses, a little
black pepper, and enough of the wa-
ter that they were cooked in to just
cover them. Bake in a moderate
oven for four hours.This dress is made over a bodice
of silver cloth. The hair ornament
is silver, as is also the teeny
center of the taffeta roses.The long skirt effect is obtained
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NICHOLS DEFENDS NEGRO'S RELEASE

Claims Feared Negro's Bank Account Would be Touched By Wife.

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 9.—A statement issued here today by Senator Clark Nichols, who obtained the release from Gov. J. C. Walton of the release from the penitentiary under guard of Xenophon Jones, wealthy negro, said he did it at the request of a Eufaula banker who stated that Victoria Jones, wife of the negro, carried an account with his bank which it was feared would be disturbed through the divorce action. It was believed that Jones' presence at Eufaula was necessary to forestall this, according to Nichols' statement.

Nichols said the banker was a friend of his and that he was merely trying to do him a favor.

Nichols also declared that a member of the house, who it is said came to him in connection with the release of the negro could do as he pleased about revealing his identity.

Willard Notes

The following are in the choruses Girls' Chorus, Chresie Luther, Ada Janet Dodd, Mildred Woodward, Lady Percy Shaw, Nell Chapman, Ava Saunders, Cubanita Keltner, Josephine Noel, Brookie Roach, Pauline Wilson, Wana Mallory, Verda Mount, Maurine Hill, Opal Aycock, Ola Seawell, Ila Mae Cobb, Bonnie Chapman, Mattie Lou Patterson, Jewel Medlock, Mary Elois Guin, pianist.

Mixed chorus, Jay Newton, Raymond Mount, Angelyn Anderson, Jack Moore, Austelle Bolton, Philip Wimbish, Bernice Newton, William Buhgarner, Estelle Moore Robert Bradley, Leon Wilborn, Don Montgomery, Mary Patterson, Francis Hatcher, Gilett Massey, Vernon Kamp, Maxine Sarette, Hubbard Lowry, Reba Mallory, Shipman Bullard, Mary Elois Green, pianist.

The Vardian girls will entertain Saturday night with a party.

We now have four hundred and forty-five books in our library, many of the books being donated by the patrons.

There are fifty-eight pupils absent from school this week on account of the flu. The majority being from the lower grades.

Miss Ned Hodge is attending the teachers meeting at Oklahoma City. Miss Jesteine Bolton is taking her place while she is absent. J. I. Dodds went to Oklahoma City Wednesday.

LAST NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

You have one day in which to pay your water bill. If not paid tomorrow, your water will be discontinued.—J. C. Deaver, Commissioner of Accounting and Finance.

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SETTLEMENT OF WAR DEBT REGARDED AS CERTAIN

(By the Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Approval of the British debt settlement is regarded as certain before night as a result of a unanimous agreement in the senate to limit debate on the measure to four hours to be divided equally between Democrats and Republicans.

CHORAL CLUB DIRECTOR HERE FOR TONIGHT'S REHEARSAL

Mr. Cooke came in on the noon train and is teaching this afternoon and will be at the First Christian church at 7:30 to direct the Community Choral work.

Several of our singers are in Oklahoma City attending the state teachers meeting and to hear Padewski the great pianist. Several are sick or have sickness in the home so, for these reasons, let the members who possibly can do so, be on hand.

HAPPY LAND

Sunday school at Happy Land is getting along nicely. We also have preaching every Sunday. Mr. Jess Caton preaches first Sunday, Mrs. Bertie Shannon preaches second Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lilly preach Sunday night of the second Sunday and Mr. Vaughn preaches third Sunday and Sunday night, and Mr. Jim Caton preaches fourth Sunday.

Mr. Shannon and family attended Sunday school at the Denney school house last Sunday after which Mrs. Shannon preached. Her text was Romans 6:12. Mr. Lilly followed and preached from the same text. Mr. Shannon and family visited Mr. Lilly and family in their home after church.

There was a singing at Happy Land Sunday night.

Mrs. John Wilson has been sick with grippe.

Wesley Odum has moved where Jess Caton lived, and Mr. Caton has moved to or near Ford Switch and Bob Bushares has moved where Mr. Moody lived.

Clyde Daniels, the step-son of Sam Deaton is sick this week.

The teacher of the large room was called to Ada last week on account of the sickness and death of a friend.

The heavy rain Wednesday kept most of the children from school just seven children attended.

Dorothy Wilson is on the sick list it is reported.—Peach Blossom.

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BETHLEHEM, CHRIST'S
BIRTHPLACE

Mr. Hertel, whose firm is a large publisher of Bibles, presented the following facts about the Scriptures:

More than 660,000,000 Bibles have been printed in all languages since the invention of printing.

Figuring the population of the world at 1,500,000,000 and the number of families at 300,000,000, all the Bibles ever printed would give each family more than two copies.

Eight million Bibles are printed in the United States annually, and 35,000,000 throughout the world.

The American Bible Society distributes 5,000,000 Bibles every year.

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Eighty million people in the United States in an estimated population of 115,000,000 own Bibles.

Thirty-five million are without Bibles.

Of the 23,000,000 families in the United States, 15,800,000 families own Bibles and 7,100,000 families are without Bibles.

"I believe," said Mr. Hertel, "the great majority of the 35,000,000 people in the United States without Bibles have had the benefit of Bible instruction. The American people are essentially religious. House-to-house salesmen who sell Bibles are welcomed in every home. This in itself is a tribute to the religious sentiment of the nation."

VIA DOLOROSA FOLLOWED BY JESUS TO THE CRUCIFIXION

CHICAGO.—Bibles have a larger distribution among farmers and the people of towns and villages in the United States and Canada than among city dwellers.

This was the statement here of John A. Hertel, Chicago publisher,

at the convention of the Subscription Book Publishers Association that has launched an international campaign to raise the standards of the subscription book industry and improve its house-to-house selling methods.

The commissioners fixed a limit of \$1,000 for the first mortgage and the law fixed a limit of \$2,000 for second mortgage and making \$6,000 the largest loan to be obtained, and if a person obtained that amount, the farm, including the improvements, must be worth at least \$8,000.

The small amount appropriated by the 1919 legislature simply acted as an experiment and from the experience derived therefrom it became evident to the commissioners that the law should be amended. The following recommendations were made to the legislature in 1921, and a bill introduced to have the law so amended, but same failed to pass.

Abolish the county board and have the regular appraiser of the school land office make a full investigation of the character of the applicant as well as of the value of the land. The appraiser would always be a disinterested party and would make his recommendation in an unbiased manner.

Limit the amount of the first mortgage to fifty percent of the value of the land, exclusive of improvements, and have the maximum amount \$4,000.

In no case have the amount of the second mortgage more than the first mortgage, and have a maximum of \$2,000.

Require the applicants to have good substantial improvements and furnish insurance for at least three-fourths of the value of same, with loss, if any, payable to the commissioners of the land office.

Forbid the sale of the farm without the written consent of the commissioners of the land office.

In concluding his statement, the treasurer said, "The present bill carries a guaranty fund to guarantee the payment of bonds authorized to be issued against these second mortgages. The commissioners, on three separate occasions, advertised bonds of this character and did all in their power to sell the same, but were never able to do so. This guaranty fund now amounts to more than \$200,000. The law should be amended so that this money can be placed in the home loan fund and provision should be made that all earnings or interest received from the money loaned in this fund would be set aside for the guaranty fund, and this amount would be entirely sufficient to guarantee any bonds that might be sold."

It was a question of whether the law was a good one or not, he said, "the same had been regularly passed and approved by the legislature, and whether the commissioners personally favored all of the provisions of the law or not, every safeguard was thrown around the execution of all the provisions of the law. No criticism of any appraisal can be justly made. The law provided that the character of the applicant should be thoroughly investigated by a board of three appointed in each county, and no loan was made without the approval of these boards.

The law provides that fifty percent of the value of the farm, including improvements, should be made from the county funds, and the second mortgage, not exceeding \$2,000, should be made from the home fund. Therefore, the full value of the farm, including the improvements, could be obtained from the school land office, providing said value did not exceed \$4,000.

McSWAIN THEATRE MONDAY

Believes Hamburg Home-EXCHANGE FOR STOLEN WARES

HAMBURG.—Police believe they have uncovered here a "fence" for the disposal of large quantities of valuable articles stolen in Mexico.

They were seized recently that jewelry, gold novelties, etc., were being surreptitiously sold at a certain private dwelling in Hamburg.

Providing themselves with \$6,000 in United States banknotes and posing as foreigners, several officials visited the place. The upshot was an investigation revealing valuables worth \$50,000,000 marks. All bore the imprints of Mexican firms.

OIL MACHINERY ON IMPROVEMENT

Average Weight for Drilling Material Reaches Two Tons Estimate Shows.

(By the Associated Press)

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 9.—Approximately ten tons of machinery and tools go to make up the average equipment for drilling an oil well in this year 1923, not to speak of the derrick, casings and other necessary articles.

But the tools used in drilling the first well in Kansas in 1883 weighed only 200 pounds. They are on exhibit here at the chamber of commerce permanent industrial exhibit, under the auspices of the national purchasing agents' association.

A graphic comparison of the weights of the old and modern sets of tools shows that a 24 inch drilling bit made by a local firm weighs 2,400 pounds, as against the 200 pounds for the whole set of old-time tools.

The ancient tools have been inspected by Seth Rowland, a local supply salesman, who said he worked in the Pennsylvania fields in 1881 and that the tools in use there at that time were about like those in use now. He said the tools used in drilling the first Kansas well were probably old-fashioned at that time, dating back to the civil war period.

The well which was brought in with the use of the tools now on exhibit was drilled near Neodesha. The tools are now owned by A. Rosenthal of Wichita, Kans., who has been an oil well supply junk dealer for many years.

The string of ancient tools is pronounced to be complete by drillers who have viewed it. It consists of a tape screw, one and one quarter inches by two feet, with rope clamps attached; a stem, one and three-quarters inches in diameter and seven feet three inches long; a rope socket of the old fashioned "wing" type; three-inch jars with a 14-inch stroke; a bit of the chisel type two and one-half feet long which drilled a three and one-half inch hole, a manilla rope cable one and one-quarter inches in diameter.

Men who have been familiar with oil drilling for forty years say they had no idea such an inadequate set of tools was ever in use. A farm boss for one of the large producing companies exclaimed that his son fourteen years old was drilling a well in a back yard with a larger outfit of tools than the ancient set from Wichita.

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Winter Grain is Benefitted With Weather Condition

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 9.—Winter grains were benefitted by rain, and snow and show an improvement except in the extreme west-central and northwestern parts of the state, where a severe drought continues, according to the weekly crop and weather summary issued here by the United States weather bureau. Heavy to excessive rains were general in the central, southern and eastern portions, but there was very little or no precipitation in the extreme west-central and northwest portions, according to the report. The mean temperature was said to have been slightly above normal.

Snow was quite general over the state early this week, the report said, and outdoor work was suspended. Pastures were described as poor and short, especially in the western parts of the state. Stock is generally in fair to good condition, the report said. Dirt roads were said to be rough and muddy, except in the northwest part where they are fair to good.



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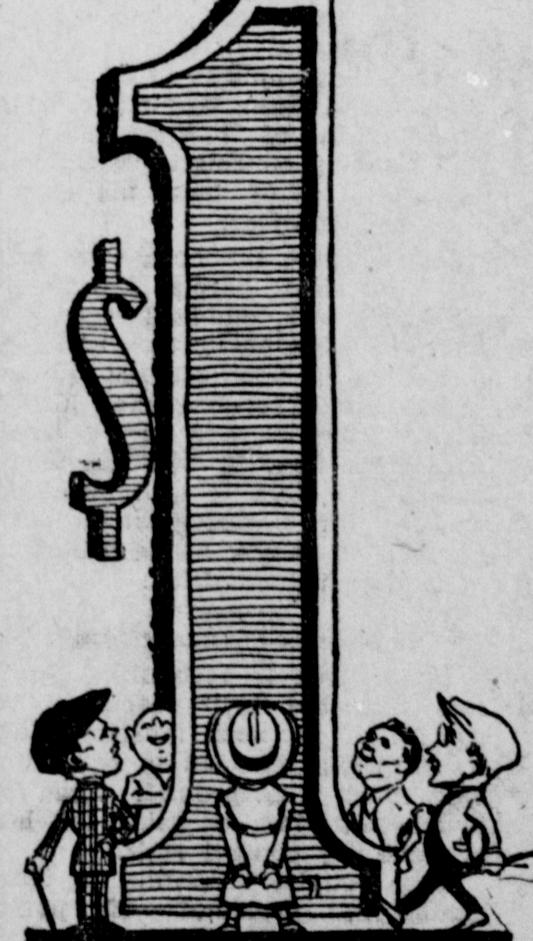
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FOR SALE—10 room house near normal. Phone 211 or 918. 2-7-61*

FOR SALE—Custom-made Barley corsets. See Mrs. A. L. Bowles, Phone 868. 2-8-31*

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FOR SALE—Two Ford touring cars at \$100 and \$125 each. W. T. Shelton. 2-4-4f

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BRING RESULTS



Egypt. We are having some real cold and rainy weather this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Fulton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Tuesday night and Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Vaden Wednesday night.

Miss Susie Alton is spending the week with Mrs. J. M. Dodd of Colbert who has been very sick.

Little Jimmie Joe Roddie who has been sick has improved some the last few days.

Johnnie Neal was shopping in Ada Friday.

Charles Burns was the Wednesday night guest of John Myers.

Otha Floyd made a flying trip to Ada Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Holladay Myears and Ella Martin were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Myears Thursday afternoon.

Miss Dovie Agee spent Saturday night and Sunday with home folks.

There will be an entertainment at the school Friday night. Every one come and bring some one with you.

Audie Alton spent Friday night with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Seates.

The Neal boys went to an entertainment in the Colbert community Friday night.

We are all glad that Mr. and Mrs. Charley Burns have moved back to our community. They are making a crop with Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Vaden.

Tom Watson received a phone message Sunday morning from Calvin, Okla., that his sister's baby was dead.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Myears visited relatives here the week end.

Miss Sadie Neal entertained quite a bunch of girls and boys Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Fowler are visiting friends here the week end.

There was no Sunday school Sunday morning on account of bad weather.

Otha Floyd was the Sunday afternoon guest of his sister Mrs. Beckie Jones.

Miss Annie Norton spent Saturday night and Sunday with Sadie Neal.

Mrs. Thelma Fulton visited Emma Cassady Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fulton were shopping in Ada Monday.

Barney Bottom's family has been on the sick list the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gates visited her mother, Mrs. Dodd Monday who has been sick for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bottoms visited their son Barney Bottoms Sunday and Sunday night. His family has been pretty sick the past week.

Mr. Big Snow visited our community Monday afternoon. We were all glad to see it and will gladly welcome it back again.

S. P. Vaden and Charley Burns were shopping in Ada Monday.

Mrs. Lola Floyd is spending the week in Ada.

JIM BOW.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

STRAYED

Two mare mules, black and blue, weighing about 1,100 pounds each and one blood bay, white stocking footed mare weighing about 950 pounds. No brands. Last seen going south from Ada last Monday afternoon while snowing. Reward for information leading to recovery. Notify First National Bank, Ada.

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Route 2

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YES, THE FIRE PLACE IS OUT, THE FURNACE IS OUT OF ORDER. I MUST GET A MAN UP TO FIX IT! IT'S NO WONDER YOU FOLKS COMPLAIN ABOUT THE HIGH COST OF LIVING. IF ANYTHING WAS WRONG IN OUR HOUSE WHEN YOUR FATHER WAS LIVING HE FIXED IT RIGHT AWAY! WE COULD FIX ANYTHING! WHAT KIND OF HUSBAND HAVE YOU ANYWAY?

NOW MOTHER, THAT'S ENOUGH TALKING ABOUT MY FATHER DOING THIS AND DOING THAT. IF THERE IS ANYTHING MY HUSBAND IS GOOD AT IT'S FIXING THINGS. I DON'T LIKE TO HAVE YOU TALK ABOUT HIM THAT WAY!

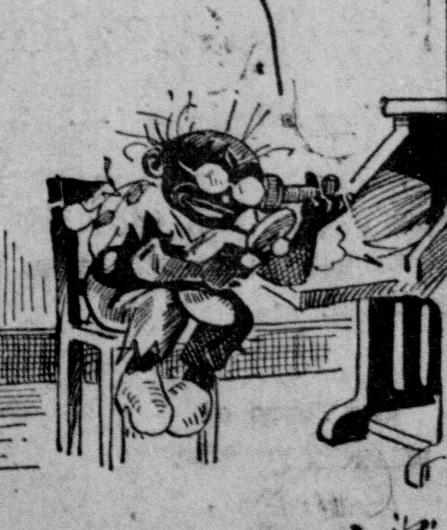
PA, THE FURNACE IS OUT OF ORDER! WILL YOU PLEASE GO DOWN AND FIX IT?

CERTAINLY, MY DEAR! I'LL FIX IT IN A JIFFY, AND I'LL BUILD A FIRE TOO!

YES, MOTHER, IT'S NO USE OF ALWAYS KEEP SAYING YOUR HUSBAND DID THIS AND YOUR HUSBAND DID THAT. GIVE THE DEVIL HIS DUE, OSWALD IS A PRETTY GOOD SCOUT AND HE CERTAINLY IS A MECHANIC! HE IS A WONDER ON FIXING THINGS PLUMBING, ELECTRICITY OR ANYTHING ELSE!

SO!

HELLO, WILL YOU PLEASE SEND AN EXPERT FURNACE MAN TO VAN LOON'S AT ONCE!



WALTON TELLS OF FARMER STRUGGLE

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to attend school from the tenth day of September to the tenth day of the following June, until a high school course has been completed.

"It may be asked if a compulsory attendance of this kind is enforced, who will pick the cotton and shuck the corn," said the governor. "If it is necessary to enslave the children of this state in order to pay six percent on \$7,000,000,000 of watered railroad stock, and pay from four and one-half percent of the gross receipts of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company to the American Telegraph and Telephone company, then I say let the cotton go unpicked and the corn unshucked."

Still another recommendation is that buildings for meeting of cooperative clubs in communities be furnished the clubs free by the state, furnishings to be purchased by the state, and sold the clubs at cost.

In cases where the children are kept out of school by poverty, the governor recommends that they be provided by the state with clothing and shoes and at least two meals a day, properly prepared at the school house at the expense of the state.

Beauty Unsurpassed



The wonderfully refined, pearly-white complexion is the result of being bathed in the appearance of youth. Results are instant. Highly antiseptic. Exerts a soft and soothing action. Over 75 years in use.

Send 15 c. for Trial Size.

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THE PLAYHOUSE OF CHARACTER

SHOWING TODAY

Alice Brady and David Powell

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"ANNA ASCENDS"

A PARAMOUNT PICTURE

This was a huge success on the stage; even greater as a photoplay.

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Harold Lloyd Comedy "Pay Your Dues"

TOMORROW

Edward (Hoot) Gibson in "Kindled Courage"

MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Wesley Barry in "Rags to Riches"

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They are HERE Men!

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See Our Windows — See Our Prices

New leathers, new weights, new colors, new shoes with that old feeling. Step in to see them and you will step out in them.

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Good Clothes

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In all the new
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JACK-O-LEATHER CLOTHES for Boys
Suits reinforced with leather

Humph! Who Wants Titles?



Mrs. Juliet Clements.

(By Central Press)

ROME, Feb. 8.—"Rather a saleslady in Chicago than a countess in Italy."

Such is the philosophy of Mrs. Juliet Clements, a Chicagoan now here with her husband to dispose of their claims to the title and estate of Clements' brother, who died here recently.

Back in Oak Park, a Chicago suburb, Clements is a steamship ticket agent and Mrs. Clements supplements the family income with her earnings as a saleslady.

Recently word reached Clements in Chicago, of his brothers' death and his inheritance of the title and estate. Clements sold himself a couple of round-trip tickets to Italy and came to Rome.

Since his arrival here neither he

nor his pretty wife have changed their minds about using the "round-trip" section of their steamship passage.

"I'd rather be an American citizen and a saleslady than an Italian countess," and Mrs. Clements tone left no room for doubt.

"And that goes for me as far as the country proposition is concerned. Me too for the ticket office," quoth her husband.

"Just as soon as we can get the details connected with the disposing of this estate settled we're going to hop right back to the U. S. A.," they both declare.

"I'm going back to my job in the ticket office," Clements said.

"And I'm going back to the sales office," echoed Mrs. Clements.

And that's about all there is to it.

Cooper and Battling Ivey Fight to Draw in 10 Round Affair at Armory Ring

Archie Cooper of Ada and Battling Ivey of Wilson fought through ten rounds of uncertainty to a draw last night at the National Guard Armory before the largest crowd that has yet assembled to see a boxing exhibition in Ada.

Coming back with marvelous fighting energy after he had been knocked groggy in the fifth round, Cooper, the Ada fighter, stayed the last five round of the fighting, gaining impetus which gave him a final round over his opponent.

Ivey took the offensive early in the bout and through several rounds of the ten kept his lead, pushing Cooper to the ropes. The fifth round was Ivey's best showing. With a crashing blow that knocked Cooper to his knees, he planted the most decisive lick of the bout.

Cooper did not take advantage of the count but was on his feet in an instant. Cooper hung on for the rest of the round but was forced to the ropes with body punches from Ivey.

Cooper's seventh round came out as one of his strong efforts of the fight. Fighting under the shadow of Ivey's lead, Cooper reigned in a series of punches followed by a terrific right swing that had its telling effect. Ivey, however, came out of it smiling and finished strong at the end of the round.

Cooper showed the offensive in the fourth round when he carried the fight to Ivey.

Cooper's final round was stronger than his opener with both men apparently in full fighting strength, not weakened by the heavy fighting of their nine previous periods.

Cooper and Ivey took time about in assuming the offensive during the final round.

All throughout the fight, Ivey showed a masterful offensive. His blows were more effective and he was able to connect with more of them. Ivey also showed his strength as a defensive fighter, missing the heavy rain of blows from Cooper by a side step or clever cover work.

Cooper received a dislocation of the right thumb in the second round of the fighting.

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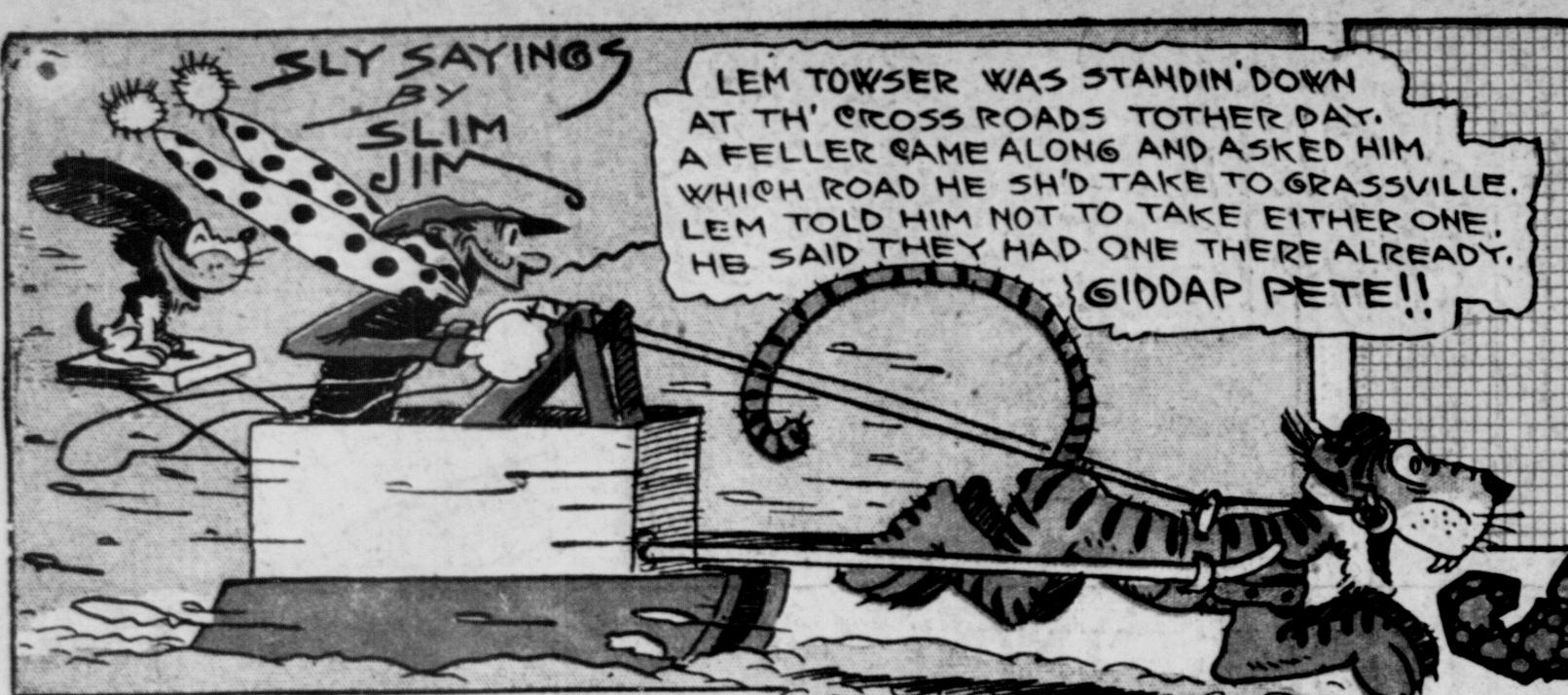
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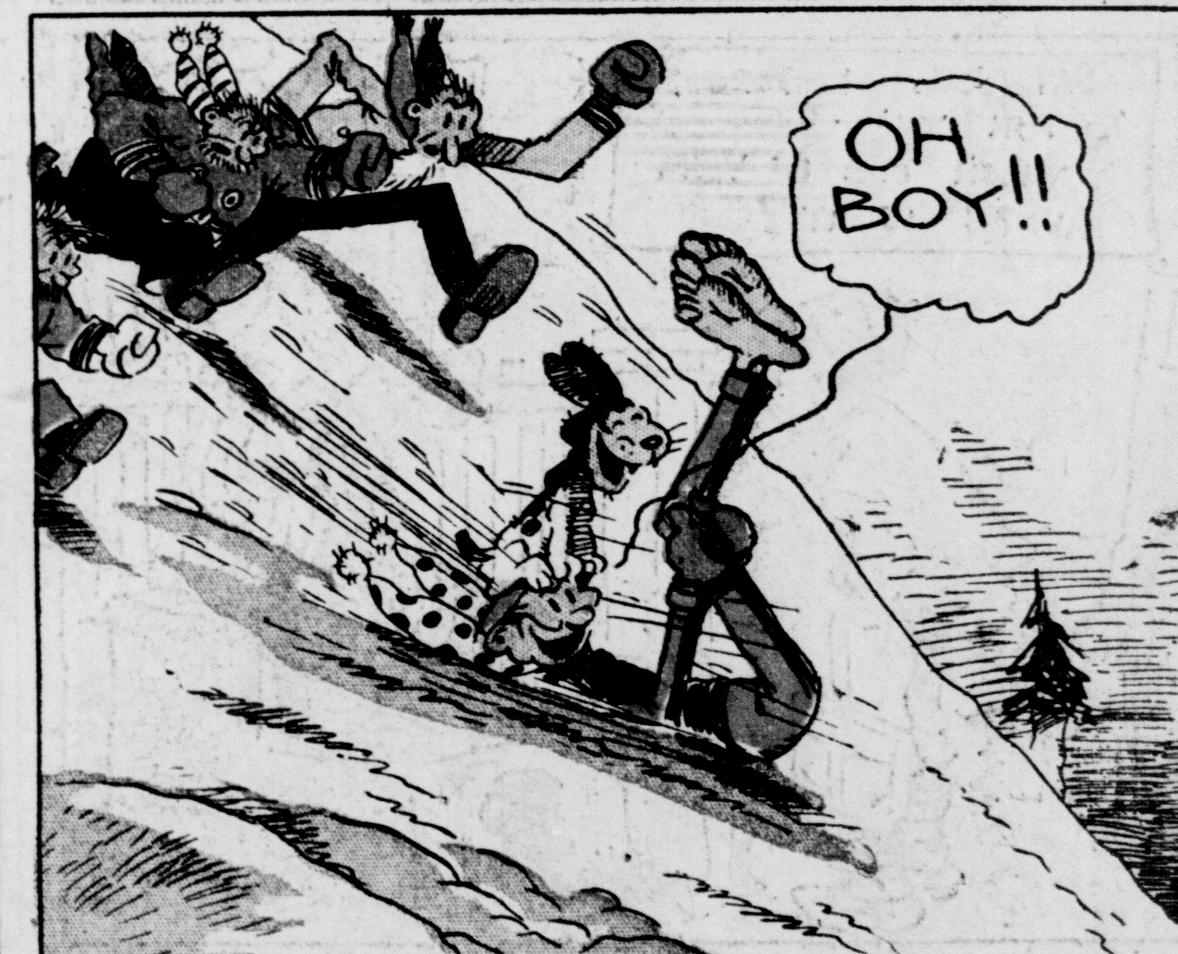
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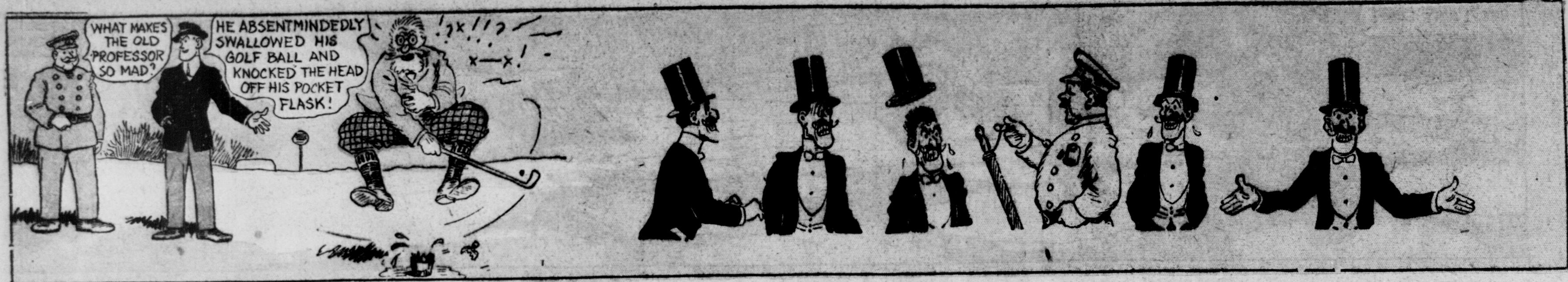
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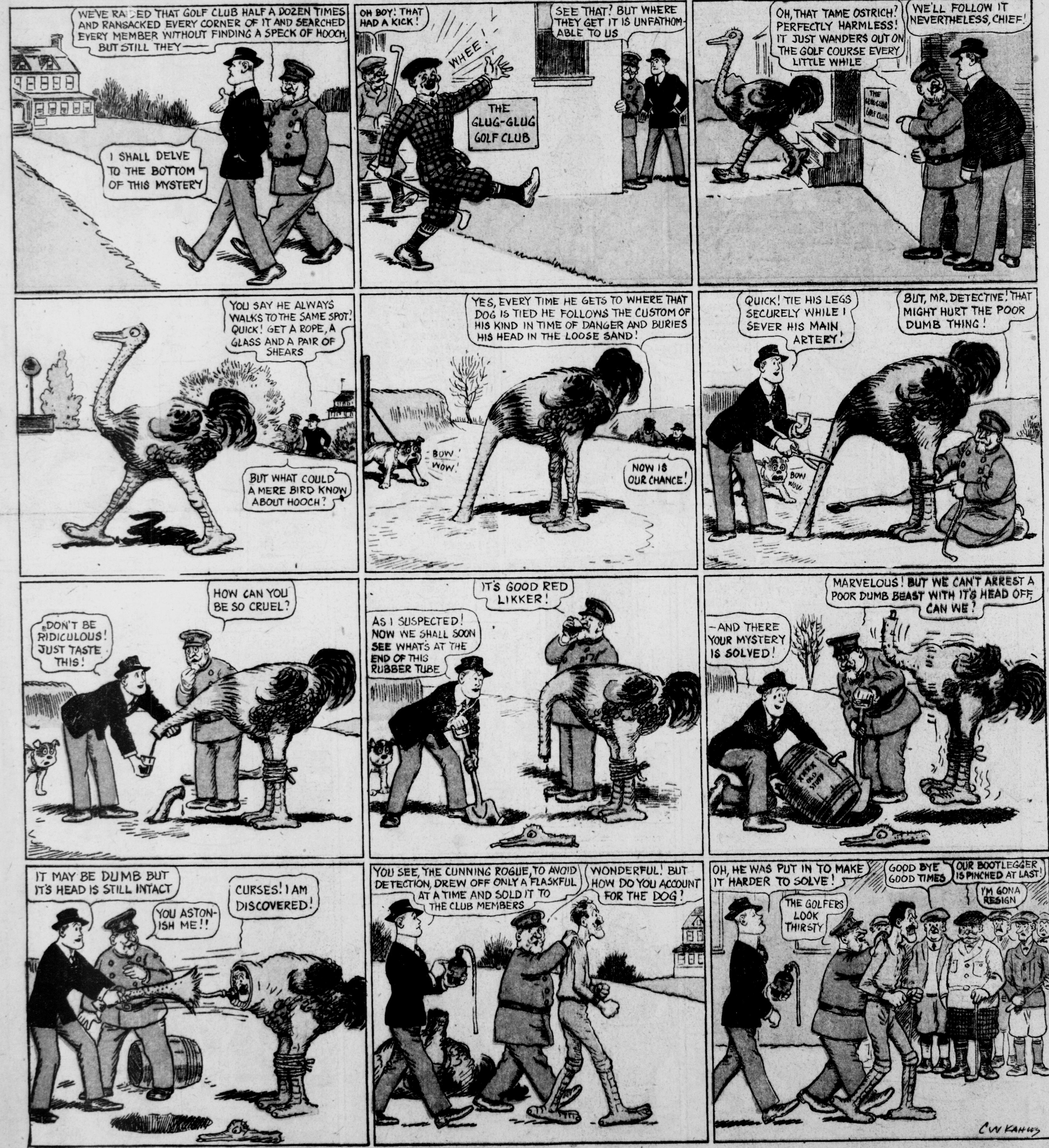


Hairbreadth Harry

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The Baffling Mystery of the Glug-Glug Golf Club.





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